

PUBLIC NOTICE
For
Air Quality Operating Permit
for Bloomfield Compressor Station of Transwestern Pipeline Company

Transwestern Pipeline Company at 6381 Main Street; Roswell, NM 88201 has submitted an air quality operating permit application to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) for an air quality operating permit for the Bloomfield Compressor Station. The exact location of the facility is at latitude 36 deg, 43 min, 40.1 sec and longitude -107 deg, 56 min, 51.4 sec. This facility is located approximately 0.25 miles NE of Bloomfield in San Juan County, New Mexico. This application file has been assigned an Operating Permit Number P010-R3 and TEMPO Agency Interest ID No. 1192.

Previously, the facility received an air quality construction permit and is in operation. The main purpose of the facility is to compress natural gas for pipeline transport. This operating permit application is for a permit renewal. Per 20.2.70.401.C.(4) NMAC, there are no planned physical or operational changes to the facility affecting emissions. This renewal incorporates Administrative Amendment P010-R2M3 for a like-kind turbine replacement.

The estimated maximum air pollutant emissions to the atmosphere, from this facility after the requested operating permit is issued, are as follows. Parentheses note changes in emissions from previous operating permit P010-R2M2. Emissions are expressed in tons per year (tpy). Nitrogen Oxides (NO_x) at 382.3 tpy (+23.6); Carbon Monoxide (CO) at 78.3 tpy (+1.8); Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) at 41.5 tpy (+1.3); Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂) at 2.5 tpy (no change); Total Particulate Matter (TSP) at 4.8 tpy (no change), Particulate Matter 10 microns or less (PM₁₀) at 4.8 tpy (no change), and Particulate Matter 2.5 microns or less (PM_{2.5}) at 4.8 tpy (no change); and greenhouse gas (CO₂e) >75,000 tpy. The facility is a minor, < 100,000 tpy CO₂e source of greenhouse gas emissions.

The NMED has conducted a preliminary review of the information submitted with the permit application. This review included evaluation of the emission rates and applicable requirements to determine compliance.

The NMED has made a preliminary determination that this facility will comply with the requirements of Title 20, New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC), Chapter 2, Parts 1, 7, 61, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 77, and 82; 40 CFR 50; 40 CFR 60 Subparts A and GG; 40 CFR 63 Subparts A and ZZZZ; and the New Mexico Air Quality Control Act. Therefore, the preliminary intent of NMED is to issue the air quality operating permit on or before May 26, 2016.

Interested persons may obtain the draft operating permit, submit written comments, or request a public hearing on Operating Permit Number P010-R3 by contacting Linsey Hurst at the New Mexico Environment Department, Air Quality Bureau, 525 Camino de los Marquez Suite 1, Santa Fe, NM 87505-1816.

Written requests for public hearing must state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. Comments must be based on the requirements of the applicable state and federal air quality regulations and the Clean Air Act. Comments or hearing requests must be received within 30 days after the public notice is published.

The permit application, draft permit and relevant supporting materials are currently available for review at the Air Quality Bureau, 525 Camino de los Marquez Suite 1, Santa Fe, NM 87505-1816. The Department contact in Santa Fe is Linsey Hurst at 505-476-4371.